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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ON SECURITY OF EUROPEAN NUCLEAR MATERIALS (C-WP8-01022)

REF: A) SECSTATE 135193 B) 08 BUCHAREST 997 C) 08 BUCHAREST 595

Classified By: Charge d'Affaires Jeri Guthrie-Corn for reasons 1.4(c) a nd (d).

¶1. (SBU/NF) This report responds to questions raised in ref A. As post acquires additional information it will be reported septel.

¶2. (S/NF) Over the past several months, EconOff has accompanied representatives of the National Commission for Nuclear Activities Control (CNC

¶3. (S/NF) The visited sites include the Romanian research reactor near Pitesti and the sole Romanian nuclear powerplant near Cernavoda. Both i

¶4. (S/NF) Euratom inspectors have access to Romania's nuclear facilities, and EconOff observed inspectors from both the IAEA and Euratom takir

¶5. (S/NF) PolMilOff specifically discussed CNCAN's ability to respond to various radioactive events, whether accidental or intentional, with F

¶6. (S/NF) Comment. The Romanian authorities take their responsibility to safeguard nuclear materials very seriously.

In general, the safeguards currently in place at Romania's nuclear facilities minimize the chances of a nuclear incident. However, an actual ir

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